2016 FirstNet Consultation Program and Consultation Task Teams (CTT)

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FirstNet 2016 Consultation Program

- State and Territory Single Point of Contact Meetings held at Helena on March 2, 2016. Doug Harder, Temporary Region 8 Lead, Tracey Murdock, newly hired Region 8 lead and Justin Shore, FN Governmental Affairs Coordinator represented FN.
- Governance Body meetings—to be held June 9th at the SIGB meeting;
 Tracey Murdock and Justin Shore will brief the SIGB about the 2016
 Consultation Program, the time lines and the Governor's decision.
- Consultation Task Teams (CTT)—to be discussed in this presentation;
- Executive Consultation Meeting— a future meeting with "key state decision makers" who will advise the Governor about the opt-out provision in the statute. This meeting would be held around the time FirstNet delivers the State Deployment Plan.





Consultation Task Teams (CTT):

What are CTT's?

The CTT's are state and territory task teams formed around subjects on which FN is seeking further stakeholder input.

- Each team will be established for a specific topic and meet over a short period of time.
- SPOC's should identify subject matter experts, such as those with operational and technical experience, to participate on the CTT.
- The CTT will provide critical input to FirstNet that will inform network planning and implementation.

What is the CTT Purpose?



The CTT's provide a formal opportunity for stakeholders in each state and territory across all levels of government, ranging in discipline and jurisdiction, to provide meaningful input to inform FN network policies and operations.

What is the first Topic for the CTT's to Address?

The first CTT will be on Quality of Service, Priority and Preemption. These concepts define the user's interaction with the FN network, namely in terms of receiving prioritized access to network resources, maintaining a secure communication link, and a guaranteed level of service performance.







What is FN asking of CTT Members?

- QPP CTT members to read and view FN background materials;
- QPP CTT members to take on-line survey after reviewing background materials;
- QPP members to convene meeting to discuss the QPP Framework and provide additional feedback;
- QPP CTT representatives to participate in two (2) FN sponsored webinars.

SIGB Member Patrick Lonergan attended the Spring SPOC meeting with Quinn and I held April 12 and 13 at Reston, VA. Patrick attended the QPP break-out session. Patrick suggested a slate of potential QoS, Priority and Preemption CTT Members and has agreed to be the Working Group Chairman:

- 1. Patrick Lonergan, Bozeman Fire and DES Coordinator;
- 2. Derek Yeager, Fire Program Manager, Southern Land Office, DNRC;
- 3. Scott McMahon, IT Manager, City of Bozeman;
- **4.** Patrick Murphy, IMT IT, USDA Forest Service;
- **5. Bill Hunter**, Director, 911 Great Falls;
- **6. Jim Anderson**, SGT, Gallatin County Sheriff's Office;
- 7. Kris Kaull, Flight Medic, Reach Air Medical
- 8. Donald Long Knife, IT Director, Fort Belknap Community.







This concludes my briefing on the QPP CTT. Thankyou, Mr. Chairman and SIGB members. Questions? And now Quinn will complete the QPP CTT Agenda item.







